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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE HONORABLE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES



In re the Application of

Masashi SATO et al.

Application No.: 09/770,196

On Appeal from Group: 1774

Filed: January 29, 2001

Examiner: C. Thompson

For: OLEFIN-BASED RESIN COMPOSITION, METHOD OF MAKING IT AND
ELECTRICAL WIRE COVERED WITH IT

Docket No.: 106872

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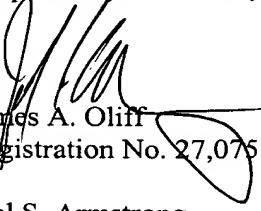
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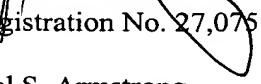
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The shortened statutory period having expired November 3, 2003, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for one month. Included in our check is the amount of \$110 in payment of the fee for a 1 month extension of time for filing this brief.

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